

In The name of God Amen, I Bartholomew Haynes of the County of
Mecklenburg & State of N^C Carolina, being in a declining & weak
State of body but of sound & perfect mind & memory blessed be God
Do this 22^d day of May in the Year of our Lord 1815 make &
publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following
that is to say — First I give & bequeath unto my well beloved
wife Sarah Haynes The plantation whereon I now live with all
the Appurtenances belonging thereunto with the household and
kitchen furniture during her natural life for the purpose
of keeping the family together & raising them in a decent man-
=ner & I also allow her two Work Horses with farming utensils
sufficient to carry on the farm, & I also allow her my Stock of
Cows & Hogs & Two Ewes & Lambs for the use of the family &
at the decease of my wife Sarah Haynes I allow my planta-
tion to be sold with the other property & to be Equally divided
amongst my Children & I allow my Stock of Sheep all
except two Ewes & Lambs to be sold also two Young Horses
beasts & other property, such as Lumber & such Articles as
can be conveniently spared, from the family to be sold for the
purpose of discharging my debts — And I also allow my Eldest
Daughter Polly Haynes one feather bed & furniture & one spin-
ning wheel & one saddle, & I allow my Daughter Peggy Haynes
one feather bed & furniture & one spinning wheel & one loom & tools
and I also allow my daughter Sally Haynes one feather bed & furniture
& one spinning wheel, & I allow my daughter Mahilda Haynes one
feather bed & furniture & I allow the balance of my Estate to
be Equally divided between my two youngest daughters Betty &
Haynes & Violet Haynes & I allow my two sons James Haynes &
David C Haynes to be put to trade which I leave discretionary
with my Executors their trade & time of going to it — After
the decease of my wife Sarah Haynes I allow my Negro boy
Stephen to be hired out yearly until the legatee becomes of age &
then to be sold & the price of said Negro & the profits of his hiring
to be equally divided amongst my Children — And I hereby
make & ordain my worthy friend Joseph Haynes & James Green
Executors of this my last Will & Testament to be & to do what they

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make & confirm my last will & testament in the presence of the
Executors of this my last will & testament to be strictly observed &
said Bartholomew Haynes born to this my last will & testament do
my hand & seal this day & year above written - Signed sealed &
published by the said Bartholomew Haynes &
Will M. Hensley, Joseph Gilmore, James E. Green
Bartholomew Haynes (died)